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NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.

For Vice-President—John W. Kern, of Indiana.

For Congress—Second Congressional District—Claude Kitchin.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.

For Lieut.-Governor—W. C. Newland.

For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.

For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.

For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.

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For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.

For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.

For Electors at Large—J. W. Bailey and Walter Murphy.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Senate—E. L. Travis.

For House of Representatives—H. S. Harrison and A. Paul Kitchin.

For Sheriff—J. A. House.

For Register of Deeds—J. H. Norton.

For Treasurer—J. E. Bowers.

For Coroner—J. J. Robertson.

For Commissioners—N. L. Stedman, Sterling Johnson, B. A. Pope, W. R. Harvey and Sam T. Thorne.

MASS MEETING DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

For Senate—A. Brinkley.

For House of Representatives—H. S. Harrison and T. F. Whitley.

For Sheriff—J. R. Patterson.

For Register of Deeds—W. T. Clement.

For Treasurer—Noah Biggs.

For Commissioners—W. D. Bass, S. D. Bradley, W. W. Rosser, Sam T. Thorn, S. P. Johnston.

GOVERNOR GLENN TO SPEAK.

Governor R. B. Glenn will speak in Scotland Neck Thursday, October 22nd at 11 o'clock.

He is a man of National reputation, well known by the people throughout North Carolina, and the people of Scotland Neck and community cannot afford to miss the opportunity of hearing this able statesman and matchless orator.

A Timely Suggestion.

(Charity and Children.)

We are coming to the time that tries men's souls. As the election approaches men give freer rein to their passions and are apt to speak unadvisedly with their lips. Let us utter a word of caution to our friends. Democrats are not naturally rascals nor Republican scoundrels. It all depends on the man himself. In all parties there are all sorts of men, but it is foolishness to saddle the sins of members of any party on the party itself. Partisan feeling should not for a moment mar the harmony among neighbors and friends. Above all, the prejudice and passion of the hour should not be allowed to enter our churches. The devil usually has a picnic about election time, for it is his best opportunity to sow discord among the saints. Guard your lips. Keep your reason. Hold your tongue. No candidate for any office is going to help you heal the wounds your indiscretion may inflict. When you are tempted to say a hard word about a brother who differs from you on the issues of the day remember you are being tempted by the devil and bid him begone.

HON. WILLIAM W. KITCHIN.

Oration to the Next Governor of North Carolina.

Last Saturday Hon. W. W. Kitchin spoke in the forenoon at Windsor and in the afternoon at Ahsokle. He came to Scotland Neck at 7 o'clock to rest Saturday night at his old home with his mother. In the afternoon when it became known that he was coming to Scotland Neck that evening it was at once decided by a number of citizens that he should speak here that night, although he had no appointment. Enthusiasm ran high through the town and hand-bills were soon scattered announcing his coming and that he would speak.

A large crowd gathered at the station awaiting his arrival on the 7 o'clock train. Along with others the local colored band joined in the parade and Mr. Kitchin was escorted up town where in front of the hotel he addressed a large gathering of people from the town and surrounding country.

Mr. Kitchin was introduced in some well chosen remarks by Mr. Albion Dunn who briefly reviewed Mr. Kitchin's record in service to the State as a leader and as a Representative in Congress from the Fifth district for twelve years. He referred also to Mr. Kitchin's triumphant nomination for Governor in the great Democratic convention at Charlotte and presented him as the people's candidate for the next Governor of North Carolina.

In his opening remarks Mr. Kitchin said he did not come to Scotland Neck to make a speech, and having spoken twice already that day, two hours each time, and having been in the campaign every day since the 31st of August, he was too fatigued to speak at any length. He referred pleasantly to the fact that he was speaking to his old friends and neighbors and said that it would have delighted him to speak in Scotland Neck if Chairman Eller had made an appointment here for him.

Mr. Kitchin spoke quite briefly and devoted most of his address to the local situation in Halifax county. He referred especially to the independent movement by the Democrats in the county and expressed deep regret at such a course. He said he knew that many of those engaged in the movement are amongst the best citizens in Halifax county, and that they have always been true and loyal Democrats and are good Democrats now; but such movements tend to disrupt the Democratic party and fightings and contentions within the Democratic ranks always help the Republican party. He said also that while these dissatisfied Democrats now have no such purpose there is danger that some of them may drift into the Republican ranks. Indeed, said he, there is not very much difference between a Republican and a Democrat fighting the Democratic party. He referred to the great Democratic record of Halifax county and declared that of all the people of the State those of Halifax county should remain loyal to Democratic principals and the Democratic organization. He said that there were always disappointments in political contests and it is the part of loyalty for defeated aspirants to submit to the rule of the majority, and those who participate in primaries are in honor bound to do so. Mr. Kitchin did not discuss in detail the present differences within the ranks of the Democratic party in Halifax county but spoke of the governing principles of the Democratic party in general.

He implored those taking part in and sympathizing with the independent movement to abandon such course and settle their differences within the ranks of the Democratic party.

As he was about to conclude his address some one in the audience asked him what he thought of Mr. Bryan's chances for election as President. He promptly and forcefully replied that Mr. Bryan's chances for election are good. He is the nominee of the people and Mr. Taft is the nominee of the trusts, plutocracy and President Roosevelt.

Mr. Kitchin spoke with ease, save for a slight hoarseness, and im-

pressed his hearers with his great earnestness and sincerity. He was frequently applauded and turned a number of apt anecdotes to enforce the points in his address.

His many friends were glad to greet him and see him in such good trim notwithstanding his tiresome campaign. He spent the night here with his mother and left on the 10 o'clock train Sunday morning for Warrenton where he spoke on Monday.

Methods of Preventing Tuberculosis.

(Kinston Free Press.)

The great international tuberculosis congress recently held in Washington City was an event of the greatest importance. At this conference the world's greatest students studied the tremendous problem presented by tuberculosis and laid plans for fighting it. Among the results of the congress was the formulation and tabulation of sixteen methods of preventing tuberculosis. These are as follows:

1. By preventing the infection of well people, through germs in consumptive's spit.
2. By teaching the consumptive to destroy his spit.
3. By providing light and ventilation in the homes of the people.
4. By teaching people not to live or work in badly ventilated rooms.
5. By securing adequate ventilations and proper sanitary conditions in factories, stores, schools, theatres, and other places of public assemblage.
6. By abolishing dry sweeping of the streets and compelling the use of water.
7. By abolishing the use of feather duster.
8. By abolishing sweat-shop made clothing.
9. By exterminating the common house-fly.
10. By teaching the consumptive how not to infect his family or neighbors.
11. By removing advanced cases that are free from infection, from tenement homes to hospitals.
12. By discovering the disease in its early stages and curing the patient, thus removing a source of infection to others.
13. By educating the community to the nature of the disease, that it is preventable, curable, and communicable.
14. By educating people to keep their general physical condition in such shape as to enable them to resist the germs.
15. By advocating fresh air, outdoor life, sunshine, rest, no overwork, wholesome food, temperate habits.
16. By protecting the milk supply, thus preventing infection from cattle.

The most distressing form of tuberculosis, we take it, is consumption. That dread scourge is eating away at the vitals of humanity practically all over the world. Every village, every town, every thickly settled community, every city has cases by the dozens or by the hundreds. Right here in Kinston the great arch-enemy of humanity is silently at work, making progress every day, and marking his victims for final rest in Maplewood or some other city of the dead.

The ravages of the dread, insidious disease can be largely obstructed by close and faithful adherence to certain principles such as the sixteen methods outlined above. And it behooves all citizens to take the necessary precautions.

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Death of Major Burnett.

(Enfield Progress.)

Mr. William Burnett died in his room at the Enfield Hotel last Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the ripe old age of eighty-four years. He had been in a very low state of health for a long time but was able to walk about up to within a week of his death. The infirmities of old age was the cause of his death.

Mr. Burnett came to Enfield with his brother, Ben, from Martin county about 1842, and opened the second store in New Enfield where the new Parker building now stands, and his brother had a hotel where the Randolph building is now located. His wife died soon after they came here. During President Filmore's administration he held a position in the mail service. After the death of his brother, Ben Burnett, he went to farming. He was a member of the Enfield Blues and was with them in the Battle of Bethel, and when they returned home in November 1861, he went back to his farm, and there remained until about two years ago when he sold out and came to town to live.

The funeral services were conducted in the Episcopal church by the Rev. Geo. M. Tolson Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The remains were laid to rest in the Elmwood cemetery with the beautiful and impressive ceremony of the Masonic fraternity in the presence of a large number of friends.

A Club Organized.

(Enfield Progress.)

The Halifax County boys, who are attending school at the University at Chapel Hill, have organized a Halifax County Club with nine members, all of whom are Enfield boys except Messrs. Ashby Dunn and B. H. Lewis, of Scotland Neck; and Paul Fenner, of Halifax. The officers of the club are M. V. Barnhill, Jr., President; B. H. Lewis, Vice-President; J. M. Shields, Secretary; A. W. Dunn, Treasurer.

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